

CALGARY, ALBERTA, MAY 3, 1900.

Sir Charles to Sir Richard

Scathing Reply to the Innuendoes of the Minister of Trade and Commerce.

Asks Without Answer Whether the House of Commons Has the Opportunity of Obtaining a Preference for Canadian Farmers in the British Market—British Statesmen Ready to Receive Offers From Canada.

Mr. Charles Tupper, speaking in the House of Commons March 16, replying to Sir Richard Cartwright's speech, criticizing Mr. Foster's reply to Mr. Fildes, said: "I have not seen any other statement made by people who are engaged in agriculture, that the harvest will be better than last year."

He then referred to the fact that the House of Commons had the opportunity of obtaining a preference for Canadian farmers in the British market, and that British statesmen were ready to receive offers from Canada. He stated that the House of Commons had the opportunity of obtaining a preference for Canadian farmers in the British market, and that British statesmen were ready to receive offers from Canada.

A LABEL ON MANUFACTURERS. Now, Sir, there is a long list of manufacturers who have done so much for their country, and who are now being treated in a most unfair manner. I am sure that the House of Commons will be able to do something to help them. I am sure that the House of Commons will be able to do something to help them.

ORANGE MEN LITLED BY SIR. But what more does he say? He makes a charge of a great many things, but he does not say anything that is true. He makes a charge of a great many things, but he does not say anything that is true.

TWO VACANCIES IN THE GOVERNMENT. What is the fact? That two of the most important departments in the Government are vacant at this time. The fact is that two of the most important departments in the Government are vacant at this time.

SIR RICHARD'S LOVING. The hon. gentleman made one of his usual remarks, and said that he was sure that the House of Commons would be able to do something to help the manufacturers. He said that he was sure that the House of Commons would be able to do something to help the manufacturers.

THE CONSERVATIVE AMENDMENT. Sir Charles Tupper—The Minister of Trade and Commerce said: "Where is the amendment? Will the amendment be moved?" The amendment will be moved.

A PERIOD OF IMPRESSION. Well, Sir, he says there was a great deal of impression in the House of Commons. He says that there was a great deal of impression in the House of Commons.

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THE HERALD.

MR. TARTE IN PARIS.

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All the World is Prosperous Now, and Canada Shares in the General Activity Because the Conservative Policy Was Maintained---Mr. Foster's Criticism of Mr. Fielding's Budget Speech.

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and honour in the public mind of the country. It is not to be taken as a detached, an utterly to be forgotten, a new piece of pompous and empty rhetoric. It is to be a reform in policy? Is there any reason to suppose that the people have any of their leaders whom they respect and who have taken the trouble to make a study of the machine of government, and to make it work to their convenience, and so on? Is there any reason to suppose that the people have any of their leaders whom they respect and who have taken the trouble to make a study of the machine of government, and to make it work to their convenience, and so on? Is there any reason to suppose that the people have any of their leaders whom they respect and who have taken the trouble to make a study of the machine of government, and to make it work to their convenience, and so on?

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1974-75	17.50 p.e.		
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1977-78	16.90 p.e.		
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I am anxious that I may be set right on matters that I have said. The duty of the Master of Customs, the Commissioner of Customs and Excise, the Minister of Trade and Commerce, to set matters right is a noble, solemnly given duty. I am sure that they will do so. I have said that the people as a record of facts, as in the case of the 1929-30 year, have been misled upon the basis of the circumstances which actually exist, then, Sir, you will find that the Minister of Trade and Commerce and want of confidence in him will be a serious destruction of the goods. Now, if we apply this to the true rate, and it is contradicted, I will give you the figures. The average was 17.41. In 1926, it was 18.25, in 1927, it was 17.79. That is, on an average, the rate of exchange of the pound per cent. was then the tariff rate of 1925 to 1926 was 17.41, and the rate of taxation which the Minister of Finance enlarged somewhat at 22.50. The rate of exchange of the pound at the rate of reduction of twenty-two hundredths of per cent. Here come the figures. Again, they are not so open as they are made out to be. I am sure that the Minister of Trade and Commerce, and I give them for they are worth, and I take them from the official figures, have been a lot

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personnel. Reinforcements reached On 6/6 during the day and I directed General French to strengthen his Second Night from Thabebu. This has been able to do as the number of hours in the neighbourhood of Thabebu has considerably decreased. In addition to those from General Hamilton's command during the day by Colonel French's Cavalry and Bruce Hamilton's Infantry Brigade. General Hamilton mentioned that his Cavalry Brigade was about 300. May was a Brigade of the 1st with 400 in command, occupied Lakehurst and Westmacallan's troops, without meeting with any opposition, but the mounted infantry were engaged for some hours.

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CIVIC OWNERSHIP

The following from a Winnipeg paper is of special timeliness and interest in view of the fact that this city has recently acquired the city waterworks: "Two or three years ago, in Winnipeg, the waterworks service and street lighting were supplied by private corporations. The result was high prices and poor service. The city decided to go into the business. The result is that the people own both plants, prices have been greatly reduced, and the service has been improved. Those who talk of what it would cost the country to buy or build railroads should study the result of the purchase and construction of waterworks by this city. Instead of costing the city anything, or adding anything to the taxes of the ratepayers, the earnings of the waterworks system more than pay the interest on the bonds and other annual charges. Under continued private ownership, the profits of the business would have gone to shareholders, residing, perhaps, in Germany, while the people here would have to pay much higher rates in return for a poorer service."

OUR BRAVE BOYS

The Canadian boys seem to be winning golden opinions everywhere in South Africa. When they first reached DeAar they astonished everyone with the manner in which they set to work building railroad track. When they were sent across country to Deurgas to bring away loyal farmers and their families, they surprised their leaders by their dash and good nature. At Paardeberg they gained the admiration of the world. In the Carnarvon and Kenhardt districts, where the second contingent was sent to look after the rebels, they gave an excellent account of themselves and have to their credit the hardest march of the war. And now we hear from them that they have done splendidly in the advance in southeastern Natal. Last but not least our gallant Colonel Otter has shown that he was in the thick of it, for he has received an honorable though happily not dangerous wound. This makes good reading.

THE WINNIPEG SMALL POX SCARE

The recent outbreak of smallpox in the city of Winnipeg has been erroneously described in some of the newspapers published in that city as an epidemic. Some fifteen cases in all have occurred but a general scare has resulted. The feeling of uneasiness has been increased by the fears expressed by the city health officer that he was afraid that the disease had got absolutely beyond control, like the Hull fire. Although literally speaking the doctor may have been technically correct, still his statement has had the effect of making a good many nervous people still more nervous. The more cool-headed portion of the community remembers that there are cities in Europe, America and even in Canada, where there are always some cases of smallpox in the hospitals, although nobody has heard these described as an epidemic.

Some members of the medical profession seem to delight in promoting scares. It is not so much what they say as the knowing and suggestive way they look and nod and wink and shrug their shoulders that makes people uneasy, who are willing to take everything at its worst, without making any allowance for individual eccentricities. Doctors are no less human than other people and are just as much subject to peculiarities of demeanor. They have been known to attain a reputation for wisdom by simply looking wise, or by speaking so their views must come out right, whatever happens. We have frequently heard of the doctor who said that the patient's condition would be improved if he changed for the better and that he would probably recover unless he took a turn for the worse and eventually died. It must be understood that these remarks are not intended to apply to the profession as a whole, but only to a very small section, for as a rule doctors are honorable and conscientious and fully alive to the responsibilities. But even among the doctors "there are others."

The lesson to be learned from the Winnipeg scare is the necessity for taking proper precautions against disease. Every man, woman and child in every well organized community should be vaccinated as a precaution against smallpox, while personal cleanliness and attention to the laws of health in our surroundings should in ordinary cases be sufficient to maintain good health. Many persons object to vaccination, fearing impure lymph, although in Winnipeg at present there is no lymph, good or bad, for those wishing to be vaccinated. Prevention is always better than cure and our city health officer as well as all the mem-

bers of the profession should see that there is always on hand a sufficient quantity of reliable lymph to provide against any emergency. This suggestion will commend itself to the city doctors who are already aware of the large increase in the number of candidates for vaccination.

THEY LIVED HIGH

No less than \$34,600 is charged by Sir Wilfrid Laurier, Sir Richard Cartwright and Sir Louis Davies as the expense of the International Commission at Quebec and Washington. Of this amount the ministers took for themselves the following sums:

Sir Wilfrid Laurier..... \$3,521
Sir Richard Cartwright..... 3,361
Sir Louis Davies..... 2,630

These were for hotel expenses of the ministers for about sixty days. The pro-Boer, Henri Bourassa, M.P. was in the affair and drew \$2200. By the public accounts committee enquiry is made as to the use to which this \$2200 was put; but Bourassa says it is not right to ask what he does with the public money.

LESSONS FROM THE WAR

According to a telegraphic item rifle clubs are reported to be forming all over France to train the main population after the Boer model, and leading generals in the Russian army are urging the importance of developing a system of mounted infantry. It only needs the necessary encouragement from the Dominion government to ensure the organization of rifle corps and mounted infantry throughout Western Canada. The people here have already done their share. Muster rolls have been largely signed and numerous petitions sent in. The one thing lacking is action on the part of the government. It is to be hoped that this will not be much longer delayed.

EMBARGO ON ARGENTINE CATTLE

The London Meat Trades Journal says that notwithstanding the reassuring tone of cable advices from Buenos Ayres, and the almost absolute denial of the existence of foot-and-mouth disease in the country, the inspectors of our own board of agriculture have it is said, discovered no fewer than four distinct cases of the disease amongst cattle recently landed at Deptford. The result is that in order was issued prohibiting the importation of animals from the Argentine Republic or from Uruguay. The order went into force on the 30th ult., which will enable the major part at least, of the cargoes about to be landed, and disposed of as usual. The effects of this closing down on Argentine imports will be seriously felt at Deptford, where it means the withdrawal of three thousand to three thousand five hundred cattle and fully seven thousand sheep weekly. The excellent quality of both the cattle and sheep has of late enabled them to be disposed of very advantageously, the mutton especially realizing good prices. Considerable numbers have also been landed at Pirkenhead, so that our two great foreign markets are likely to be deprived of a very large portion of their regular supplies. The immediate effect will no doubt be an increase in the values of United States and Canadian cattle and sheep, and probably increased shipments from transatlantic ports, though the Canadian season will not really open till six weeks hence. To the general trader it means that he will have to pay more for his meat whether he buys at Deptford or in the open market, as values everywhere will continue on an ascending scale, our native supplies generally being short and in a backward condition.

The warm Irish welcome tendered to Her Majesty during her recent visit should prove that the people of Ireland were cruelly slandered by those who said that they had no feeling of friendship for the sister isles or no loyal attachment to Her Majesty.

There is a moral taught by the following which it might be well for many a father to take into himself: "Mamma," said three year old Freddy, "Are we going to heaven some day?" "Yes dear, I hope so," was the reply. "I wish papa could come too," continued the little fellow. "Well, and don't you think he will?" asked his mother. "Oh, no," replied Freddy, "he couldn't leave his business."

Probably the following, from the Alberta Sun, published at Leduc, is as candid as anything that ever appeared in any newspaper: "The editor of this paper has to announce that he is about to branch out. While not abandoning Leduc altogether, he thinks it would be wise to move or transfer his base of operations to Strathcona as there are more people in that city, more advertisers, more to write about, and what we value still more, a greater degree of piety and a deeper religious spirit than obtains in Leduc. This together with the close proximity to Ochsen's brewery, should make Strathcona a pleasant place to sojourn during the hot months."

NOTICE TO BALL PLAYERS

All persons in and out of leagues are hereby notified that should any accident happen, a sprain, bruise, muscular swelling, or soreness of any kind, it is absolutely necessary to use Menthol Liniment. If immediately rubbed from pain and swelling is sought, Menthol Liniment immediately relieves any soreness, pain or ache, and if used at once will prevent swelling. The wise ball player always has a bottle ready. Ask the professional league players what they think about it. It is the only liniment specially adapted to athletes on account of its penetrating and quick relieving properties. Menthol Liniment is endorsed by the leading athletic trainers throughout America. 25 and 75 cents.

DOMINION PARLIAMENT

Ottawa, April 26.—Sir Charles Tupper brought up the question of the insurance he had placed on the Canadian in South Africa, asking the minister of militia to help in securing a correct list of the dead. Dr. Borden promised to investigate the alleged loss of ammunition at Welland. The budget was resumed.

The Porto Rico fish duty and a bill for the inspection of American grain was also brought to the notice of members.

The petition of Yukon British citizens for representation in parliament was laid before the house.

Mr. Bourassa, M. P., declined to attend the public accounts committee for examination.

In the agricultural committee there was some commotion, the Conservatives declining to go on with W. T. Prestons and F. Pedley's examination of the report of the department was brought down in the house.

The motion was defeated and Mr. Pedley was examined. Ottawa, April 26.—The house was adjourned until Tuesday owing to the conflagration upsetting business in Ottawa and the loss of electric lights caused by the destruction of the plant. Dr. Borden gave orders to call the militia to render assistance. The M. & N. W. railway bill was defeated in committee, by 29 for to 66 against.

LOYAL FAREWELL

Dublin, April 26.—Queen Victoria and Princesses Christian and Henry of Battenberg left the Vice-Regal lodge at noon and drove to King's Bridge station on their way to England. A large crowd at every point of vantage gave Her Majesty a loyal farewell.

STRATHCONA'S HORSE

Ottawa, April 27.—A cable from Col. Steele was received this morning by the militia department, announcing the death by blood poisoning of Hamill, of Strathcona's Horse. He died at Cape Town.

NOTICE

I beg to notify the public that as I have closed out my business at Canmore I am now giving my entire and personal attention to the management of my Calgary business, viz., The Calgary Wine & Spirit Company, Mr. J. R. Miquelon, my late capable manager, having retired from my employ. The most prompt and careful attention will be paid to all orders with which the company may be favored.

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EVA MORTON.

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A Victoria despatch says: Ex-Governor Mackintosh's platform causes considerable amusement. Premier Martin is reported as saying that most of it is straight larceny from his, and what is not, is quintessence of d—d nonsense.

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One bay colt, star on forehead, one brown colt, star on forehead and one white hind fetlock. The above reward will be given anyone giving information that will lead to the recovery of the animals to D. McKay Murray, High River, m1wim

CATTLE—From Carstairs, on the 18th inst, eight heifers, as follows: Three two year olds, branded two red heifers, two year olds; one red heifer with white star on face, and almost ready to calve; two yearlings, one of which is white with red spots; the other red with white spots. Finder will receive reasonable reward. Norman B. Snyder, Didsbury, Alb. m3-w21

CATTLE—A reward will be paid for the recovery of, or information leading to the recovery, of 12 head of cattle, branded 6NP on left ribs. Last seen north of Crowfoot. Apply H. S. Bray, Medicine Hat. a26-w31

\$20.00 REWARD

Strayed from premises of undersigned about Nov. 1898, black filly coming 3 years, white spot on forehead, heavy foretop, mane and tail branded SB with bar underneath on left shoulder, indistinct S on right shoulder. Five dollars reward will be paid for its recovery. David Skinner, Bowden. f15-wtf

\$10 REWARD

\$5 WILL BE PAID to any person giving information which will lead to the recovery of any horse branded as cut on right cheek under the eye, and \$5 will be paid for delivery of the same. These horses are running south of Sheep Creek. Charles Trautweiser, Alberta Barber Shop, Calgary. a5-wtf

FOUND

HORSE WITH SADDLE—Found near Aldrie station; horse dark bay; saddle and bridle on indistinct brand on left shoulder. Owner can have same on payment of expenses. A. Adams, Calgary. a19-w31

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Dr. McEachran.

To the Editor of The Herald:

Mr. I see that you are still out hunting for Dr. McEachran. It is my sincere hope that you will never let up until you have run him to earth for greater humbug never filled such an important office before.

I think it was about 1883 that what is locally called blackleg, (but by McEachran and other would be experts anthrax) broke out in the vicinity of Calgary; and again south of the Mosquito Creek. The outbreak at Calgary was confined to cattle herding on the flats of the Bow at or near the late J. D. Geddes' rancho. Mr. Geddes lost upwards of 20 head; Hugh Munro one, and six of my young stock died on Mr. Geddes' premises. In fact with the exception of Mr. Munro's all died inside of Mr. Geddes' fences. Mr. Munro's were with Geddes' cattle, but came home to die. Being already alarmed at the outbreak and fearing its consequences, I wrote to the then minister of agriculture, Mr. John Carling, and was answered by his deputy, Mr. Lowe. His first letter offered no remedy. Having heard, however, of a similar outbreak in the south I again wrote the department and this time Mr. Lowe wrote to say that the minister had decided to send Dr. McEachran to investigate. Whether it was pressure from the minister, or fear for the interests of his own company, which was threatened, that prompted the Doctor to this step I do not know, but for all the good he did he might have remained in Montreal or Ottawa. However, he came to Calgary and put up at the Royal hotel. Though he came there at the government's expense to investigate he did not go to the Geddes rancho. He did not see me, though my place of business was within 200 feet of his hotel. I believe he went out to Mr. Munro's along with the N. W. M. P. Vet. and saw the animals that died there. He gave instructions that all the dead cattle be burnt. Mr. Geddes tried to carry out his instructions but failed. He could not burn them if he used up all the timber on the Bow river flats. Mr. Munro as a sensible man refused to carry them out. As I had only one team and no timber on my place, and the nearest available being fully 15 miles west of us; and as I was told by Mr. Geddes that it would take all of four loads to burn one animal, and as the wood would have to stand a month drying before it would burn; and by that time the carcasses would be rotten if at all in existence; I also agreed to do nothing and left them with Mr. Geddes to dispose of them as he saw fit. Dr. McEachran stayed in Calgary I believe two days or until the first stage going took him south. I was informed that he went to the Waldron rancho, where he remained a week or ten days, where I have no doubt he was looking after the interests of his company. It would be interesting to know if he drew pay and board account from the government while visiting his own rancho.

On his return to Ottawa he issued one of those famous bulletins that people do not take seriously but laugh at. In this bulletin he told of the infectious nature of the disease. Burying was no use for the escaping gases would spread the disease. Nothing but burning the carcasses would stamp it out. The absurdity of asking people to burn dead cattle in an almost treeless district was apparent to all who read his absurd bulletin. Why Fred Stinson told me on his return from the south, where he went to investigate, that he saw over a hundred dead calves near a partly dry lake. There was not a tree within 20 miles of the place he said.

That was 12 years ago. Blackleg or whatever it may be has appeared in many places since. It has had its victims by the hundreds and by the thousands. I venture to say that more young stock have died from it than all other diseases, and along with disease you may include losses by wolves. But I defy Dr. McEachran to point out where a single case has occurred from contact with an infected or diseased animal.

To prove his point he must show that an animal straying from an infected herd brought the disease with it and on contact with other animals spread the disease. He has all the government Vets. in the North West at his disposal, as well as the members of the North West Mounted police, in whose ability as disease investigators he has great confidence.

The animals' carcasses on which he held the post-mortem examination north of Munro's lay there for months. Dogs and coyotes ate the flesh, and left the bones bleached on the grass. Cattle in their turn came and disturbed the bones, sometimes through curiosity, sometimes for the salt or lime which the bones contained. They licked and at times manched these bones, but I never heard of a single case of blackleg among the cattle on the Macleod trail from Calgary to Fish Creek, save only and excepting the single one that Dr. McEachran and the Vet. of the North West Mounted police at Calgary pronounced to have died from nothing. If Dr. McEachran can prove me wrong then I will admit that he is not a learned ass as I believe him to be, but on the contrary the best judge of an old spavined cause that ever bought horses for military purposes.

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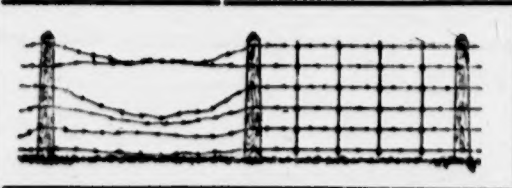
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"NECESSARY AND ADVISABLE"

The Nor-West Farmer while acknowledging the importance of the recent meeting of the Western Stockgrowers association, calls attention to one or two matters which are certainly deserving of criticism.

In the first place, there is no little doubt as to whether true mange does or does not exist among Western cattle. The Dominion Veterinarian who ought to know, holds one view while a good many experienced stockmen believe that his view is incorrect. As it is most "necessary and advisable" that the question should be settled beyond the possibility of doubt, the Farmer suggests that the Territories government should be urged to appoint a duly qualified bacteriologist to detect disease germs. Something should certainly be done, and without delay. Our horse industry has recently had a pretty hard deal, and care should be taken to prevent any false impression from causing injury to our cattle.

The Farmer representative was evidently around when the notorious "unnecessary and inadvisable" resolution was railroaded through the far end of the proceedings after two days of unremitting labor on the part of its backers, for we are credibly informed that there was only one gentleman present who was interested in carrying it through. "The capacity" says the Farmer, "which the meeting showed for passing resolutions without much debate struck a visitor as somewhat alarming. It seemed as though any kind of a motion presented with a good telling address and backed up by one or two members would carry. The association is too useful and important a body to pass motions without due consideration as they are apt to lead into trouble and lessen its prestige by compelling its officers to ask the government for impossibilities. The Farmer would suggest that notices of all matters to be brought before the association for consideration should be given some weeks before the meeting and sent to every member. This will give an opportunity for discussion. Matters will come up at the meeting upon which it is desirable that the association as a body should take action upon and such a rule as has been suggested might perhaps prove awkward. That can be overcome by the association recommending the matter under consideration to the executive for action or consideration. In this way the good name and success of the association would be assured."

But to pass without consideration or discussion a resolution which every member of the association acquainted with the facts must have known was "inadvisable," was to our thinking altogether "unnecessary and prejudicial to the good name of the association."

AN UNPREJUDICED OPINION

The Nor-West Farmer is a Winnipeg weekly publication whose chief aim is to protect and promote the interests of Western stockmen and farmers. It has no axe to grind, it is not attached either to the Calgary Board of Trade or the Calgary Herald—there is no string on it. Will Dr. McEachran therefore account for the following estimate of his recent horse purchasing expedition, copied verbatim from the Farmer of March 20th:

Considerable newspaper criticism has been devoted to the actions of Dr. McEachran, the chief veterinary inspector of the Dominion government in connection with his recent purchase of horses for Strathcona's mounted rifles. This is a matter which every horse breeder in Manitoba and the North West Territories is deeply interested. In another column will be found a leading article from the Macleod Gazette in which an attempt is being made to explain Dr. McEachran's conduct. It is however certain that the undertaking was not quite as successful as it might have been had the necessary means been taken to properly advise our horsebreeders. That Dr. McEachran opened himself to criticism cannot for a moment be doubted. His first serious mistake was his failure to lay out his dates in advance and advertise the dates upon which he would be ready to purchase at the various points in the Territories. The result was that a very large proportion of our horsebreeders knew nothing whatever about his movements and those who finally did obtain information did not get time enough to round up their horses and bring them in for inspection in anything like decent condition.

Dr. McEachran would also appear to have invited attack owing to the lack of trouble he took to inform the ranchers as to the class of horses required. Some time ago before he commenced purchasing officers conferred with the North West Mounted police and had through the courtesy of the Canadian Mounted Police some of the best mounted under the command of Colonel Woodhouse. A certain standard was laid down which every horse brought had to come up to. The horse-

man who took it for granted that the same class of a remount would be purchased for Strathcona's horses. It was, however, found that Dr. McEachran had adopted a totally different standard. The animals which were purchased for the former were after the style of the ordinary cavalry remount, while the latter only apparently required good sized ponies. The result was that hundreds of horses brought before Dr. McEachran for inspection, while up to the standard of cavalry remounts, were refused owing to the fact that they did not approximate the idea of a mounted infantry horse. This caused a together unnecessary trouble and disappointment to prospective sellers.

The natural consequence of Dr. McEachran's shortcomings in respect to advertising was the fact that he found it absolutely impossible to obtain the horses required from the Canadian ranchers, and was compelled to purchase a very large number of ponies which had been obtained in the State of Montana. Although Dr. McEachran was not personally interested in or responsible for the purchase of these horses in Montana, he was fully aware of the fact, and in this respect we should, violated the spirit of Lord Strathcona's instructions. It would be absurd to argue that 600 stout cavalry ponies could not be obtained in the Canadian North West at a reasonable price, and it is a matter for surprise that anyone knowing the country as well as Dr. McEachran, should have taken so little trouble to advertise his movements and to bring in advance to give people an opportunity to supply what was required.

It may be said, that our western horse are now on their trial in the ranching and in view of this agitation which has recently taken place in respect to the proposed establishment of a remount depot at some point in the North West Territories, it is of especial importance that our horses should give a good account of themselves. Recent developments have clearly demonstrated the value of mounted infantry and there can be no doubt that the result will be an attempt on the part of all European military powers to mount a portion of their infantry at the earliest possible date. We have always claimed a country second to none for success in horse raising and it would be particularly unfortunate if the horses we have recently furnished the Imperial army should prove the reverse. Every member of the Farmer will join the wish, that our horses will prove as worthy of Canada as our men have done.

THE OTTAWA SESSION

When a British Sovereign asked her Prime Minister: "What has passed a parliament?" the answer was "May." If the people of Canada want to know what has passed in the federal parliament the only answer possible is "eleven weeks." Beyond private legislation, which goes forward rapidly enough in the short time apart for it, practically nothing has been accomplished. The opposition has not obstructed. Only two or three Conservatives spoke on the address, and the ministers taunted to a strong fight at that stage. Two motions to go into supply were met with amendments. In each case the motion came from the government side and in one case at least with government support. The budget debate has been long and still goes on, but the government side has furnished a full share of the long speeches. Though he house met on the first day of February, a score of departmental reports for the year ending June 30, 1899, or nearly 18 months ago, have not been brought down. Among those which have not appeared are some of the most important such as the reports of the postmaster general, the minister of railways and canals, the minister of militia, the minister of agriculture, the geological survey, the report of the interior department, the mounted police report, and lastly the report of the department of public works. Mr. Wilson of Lennox in calling attention to this delay on Tuesday, asked how members could discuss the conduct of these departments intelligently without a report less than two years old.

THE TARIFF AND THE FARMER

During the debate on the budget Mr. Moore, M.P. for Stansfeld, gave some interesting figures showing how the Canadian farmer has been benefited by the tariff for revenue as distinguished from the old protective tariff. Mr. Moore showed that not only has there been no reduction in the price of articles which the farmer has to buy but there has been an increase of from eight to one hundred per cent. Barbed wire, binder twine, and turpentine have increased in price one hundred per cent; scythes, and nails, seventy-five per cent; stoves fifty per cent; paints thirty to fifty per cent; crockery and furniture thirty to forty per cent; cottons, flannels, hosiery and linens twenty per cent; pitch forks, hoes and garden rakes twenty per cent; huggies, plows, harrows and horse rakes twenty per cent; mowing machines twelve per cent and farm wagons ten per cent.

The same speaker gave some account of the oil tyranny. The ministers now in office gave solemn pledges to relieve the people of the oil monopoly. Instead they have placed the country under the control of the Standard Oil monopoly of the United States which formerly had to compete with the Canadian product but has now bought out the Canadian industry. The result is that the price has been pushed up from three to six cents per gallon, and oil is now sold in Canada at more than double the United States retail price. The profits of this concern are simply fabulous. With a nominal capital of one million dollars, representing an investment of probably one-fifth of that sum it is admitted the dividends of one hundred and seventy millions were paid in six years before 1899 and there is very little doubt that the profits of last years were seventy or eighty millions or two or three hundred per cent on the actual investment. This profit is made on United States prices and Mr. Moore computes that Canadians will pay this year two million four hundred thousand dollars more for their oil than it would cost at the United States rate per gallon. From this we may judge of the extent that the farmers and other working people of Canada are contributing to make the Rockefeller richer. Yet it is pointed out that if a poor girl from a Canadian house hold crosses the border to get work

in a hotel or a factory she is arrested and sent home as if she had committed a crime. Not one of the Canadian politicians who formerly denounced the modest Canadian oil producer as a tyrant and an oppressor has a word to say against the foreign monopoly which is taking thousands out of the country where the Canadians took hundreds to sustain a home industry.

BLOOD WILL TELL

That "Blood will tell" on the battlefield as on the race course is proverbial, but it tells also to a very great extent in the horse raising business. Drive out the scrubs, kill them, or better still, sell them at a good figure, and then breed from the best pure bred sires. The stockmen who have steadily raised the quality of the herds by careful breeding and judicious feeding are the ones who have done most for the betterment of the live stock interests.

THE MAN FROM BUFFALO

If the minister of public works has pleased the French press, he has given greater pleasure to a friend in New York state. A cool million and a half is the net price which Mr. Connors of Buffalo has made by selling a franchise obtained a few months ago from Mr. Tarte. Two years ago Mr. Tarte was using his position to force a policy of his own and his Montreal friends upon the Montreal harbor board, and he then declared that he would never allow private enterprise to obtain control of the grain elevator business in the city of Montreal. The minister headed off all local men who desired to handle grain. In parliament he laid down a policy excluding private control. But one day he announced the transportation interests by announcing a sudden change of attitude. A gentleman of almost famous name, who had great wealth and a rare gift for dealing with public men, appeared on the scene. He took in as smaller partners, an eminent member of the Ontario government, and other men of influence, then he went to Mr. Tarte, and the ministers calmly handed over to him all the exclusive privileges he wanted in Montreal, and gave him concessions for the construction of an elevator at the terminus of the Welland canal. Hence forward it was plain sailing for Mr. Connors. He prepared his prospectus and showed that the elevators with their franchise would pay large dividends on four millions. Out of the capital of the proposed company Mr. Connors is to get no less than \$1,500,000 for the concessions and franchise, which he obtained through Mr. Tarte without paying a cent, unless he has secretly divided the profits. It is a growing time for Mr. Connors, all of whose gain is taken from the Canadian people.

CANADA AT PARIS

It is announced that the Dominion will have to pay \$100,000 to \$125,000 for space in the buildings used in the exhibition at Paris. But Mr. Tarte says that the rooms and buildings are poor affairs not much better than some Canadian barns. The latest discovery is that no provision has been made for the cold storage accommodation which was one of the main features of the Canadian exhibit. Prof. Robertson has hastened to see what can be done, though the Dominion has a small army of officials without him. Mr. McLaren, M. P., who perhaps knows more about the butter and cheese business than any other Canadian, says that the great trouble with the Canadian arrangements is that the government has not sent enough experts to Paris, but has employed too many party hacks.

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The Nelson Tribune of the 21st contains a very coarse attack on ex-Governor Mackintosh.



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THURSDAY'S NEWS

Ex-Governor Macleod is visiting in the east.

The C.P.R. hotel at Bank will open on May 15th.

Passenger traffic on the C.P.R. and branches is increasing rapidly.

Several cases of soldiers effects arrived from the States yesterday.

The second Friday in May has been fixed as Arbor day in the Territories.

There are now over 300 men in the N.W.M.P. barracks and recruiting is still going on.

Sergeant Smith, N.W.M.P., was married at Regina last week to Miss Dora Thorne of Grenfell.

Every district in the North West is receiving a share of the season's large influx of immigration.

Thirty Russian-Germans landed in Calgary this morning to join the German colony north of the Bow.

R. B. Gordon and Walter Scott, of Regina, are in Ottawa to give evidence before the public accounts committee.

A model golf links will be laid out at Bank this season. It is intended to make the Bank course the best in Canada.

Mrs. Fred Stimson returned this morning from Toronto, accompanied by Mrs. Wilford and daughter, of Woodstock.

A Liberal Editorial association has been formed in Winnipeg. It aims to include the whole of Manitoba and the N.W.T.

The first number of Bank's new paper was issued yesterday. It is called the National Park Gazette, like Byers, editor and proprietor. It is a four column, four page, well printed sheet, filled with news, advertisements and glowing descriptions of the scenic and climatic beauty of Canada's National Park.

Work was commenced this morning on a new stone business block between the Herald and Clarence streets. Senator Loughheed is the enterprising builder. Glanville & Robertson have secured the ground floor for their extensive dry goods and gent's furnishing business. The new block will be up to date in every respect and in keeping with the other fine blocks which the senator has erected in the city.

At the annual meeting of the Epworth league last night the following officers were elected: Hon. president Rev. F. Langford, president, W. H. Jeffrey, recording secretary, Miss Blom, corresponding secretary, Miss Blom, treasurer, J. H. Fletcher, conveners of committees, Christian Endeavor, N. Young; lookout, Miss Simpson; missionary, R. E. Clarke; literary, E. H. Crandall; social, T. A. Norris; organist, Miss King. The reports of the various departments gave evidence of a successful year's work and with the increasing membership greater advancement is expected.

FRIDAY'S NEWS

Macleod is building a new town hall. The weather prophets predict a wet season.

Pincher Creek will hold a race meeting in June.

An Association football team is being organized in Macleod.

Wendell Maclean is remodelling and improving his drug store.

The Winnipeg General hospital is advertising for a lady superintendent.

Sergeant Genereux of the N.W.M.P. Macleod, has been promoted to Staff Sergeant.

Arbor day has this year been fixed by the Manitoba government for Friday, May 4th.

One of the most popular novels of the day is "To Have and to Hold" by a new writer, Miss Mary Johnson.

Information is wanted as to the whereabouts of William O. Williams, a stone cutter, who was in Winnipeg in 1883.

Dr. Forbes has been elected president of the Liberal association in Macleod, made vacant by the resignation of Mr. Nixon.

Battleford Herald: Branding has been the principal industry of the week, and cattlemen are delighted at the fine condition of their stock.

A heavy rain which started on Tuesday and lasted all day Wednesday will give a good start to early grain. The young grass is well up, furnishing good feed for cattle.

Work on Senator Loughheed's new block was commenced today. Mr. Fish who has the contract, is busy excavating work. J. G. Watson has a stone contract.

W. D. Shattuck has brought in his mouss and royal Standard from his place down south. Royal Standard being exhibited among the thoroughbreds at the agricultural grounds opened by Mrs. A. Shattuck, Spaulding & Johnson.

A. J. McArthur has sold to a son of Carstairs, the blue egg-rabbit, bred by W. L. Garbure, Thistleton, Ont. Danley's sire is sold for \$2500 and his grand sire \$3000. Mr. Masson is now the owner of a fine, thick, well-turned

Major Dent, purchasing officer for British War Office, is in Ottawa in the United States, where he has been buying large quantities of horses Africa. A telegram has been inviting Major Dent to visit Alberta where good horses suitable for purposes can be bought.

A horse race took place last evening at the Elbow, between Chief Fish, to Miss Hughes, niece of Ald. W. Begley, Thos. McSweeney, a local champion and Miss Wilson, a local champion. After the ceremony, it was performed by Rev. Mr. man, the happy couple and a friends, were entertained at English's residence.

Good Advance: Cattlemen complain off the range state that during their peregrinations they have come across a dead range that there has been about

lately no loss amongst range cattle during the past winter, and that the animals at the present time are in better condition than they have been in years. We rejoice with our cattlemen in this very favorable condition of affairs.

SATURDAY'S NEWS

Seeding is nearly finished in the Davisburg district.

Austin Moore of the Moisons bank, who has been transferred to London, Ont., left this morning for his new home.

Trooper Wellacombe, formerly of Lacombe, who enlisted at Edmonton in Strathcona's Horse, died of blood poisoning at Capetown.

Assistance has been found necessary in the Red Deer land office and Mr. Dickie of Strathcona has been sent down to help Captain O'Leary.

The new court house at Medicine Hat is nearly completed and will be available for the next sittings of the supreme court.

The Chicago Drovers' Journal says there has never been a time when there was so wide and so strong a demand for good breeding stock as there is today.

Sergeant Cochran, N.W.M.P., who has held the appointment of provost at the Mounted Police barracks here, has been transferred to Bank, where he will take charge of the detachment.

Premier Joseph Martin made a three hour speech at Fort Steele on Wednesday night. His speech was mainly an attack on Wm. Fernie, the Liberal candidate for the Fernie constituency.

H. R. Forsyth, who was tried before Mr. Justice Scott at Maple Creek on Thursday for cattle stealing, was convicted and sent to Manitoba penitentiary for two years and eight months. C. F. P. Conybeare, Q.C., prosecuted and P. J. Nolan defended.

An amendment to the stray animals ordinance provides that the owners on animals offered for sale shall be compared with those in the advertisement, and unless they conform, the sale shall not take place until a proper advertisement has been published.

Drovers' Journal: "A good many small farmers in South Dakota have been so anxious to get hold of beef cattle that they have been paying \$20 a head for little grade heifers, and young cows of the milk breeds. These animals even when bred to the best of beef bulls will not produce good results."

His many friends will regret to learn of the death of Trainmaster Charles B. Cumpton, which took place at his residence at Medicine Hat, at an early hour this morning. Mr. Cumpton was one of the most popular officials of the Canadian Pacific company in whose service he had spent many years. The remains will be taken to Fort Wayne, Indiana, for interment.

A north bound special met with an accident yesterday about two miles south of Carstairs owing to a soft spot in the track. Two box cars were derailed. The south bound train due to arrive in Calgary at 8:30 yesterday was detained 15 hours until the track was cleared. The passengers were accommodated at Carstairs station house where meals were provided. Nobody was injured.

Miss Tyers, who recently resigned the position of lady superintendent of the Calgary General hospital left for her home in Portage la Prairie this morning. Nurse Tyers popularity in Calgary has been amply demonstrated by testimonials and tokens received from the board of directors and private individuals and her departure will be regretted by a large circle of friends and acquaintances.

W. D. Shattuck has sold the Short-horn bull Redgauntlet, got by the celebrated Judge, now owned by the Hon. Thos. Greenway, Manitoba, to Frank Towers, Cochrane, for \$250, also the fine Polled Angus bull, Japan, to John Hamilton, for \$175. He has also supplied George K. Leeson with four splendid Shorthorns for which the figure was close on \$700 and the vealring Shorthorn heifer Mayflower to Frank Hicks for the sum of \$125.

Lake of the Woods Daily: The itinerary of the Western Canada Press association for this year is now in course of preparation and includes (at Portage) in the points of interest to be visited. It is the intention to spend at least one day here taking in the principal points of the neighborhood, a description of which will be included in the elaborate report which it is the custom of the association to publish at the conclusion of the trip. As nearly all the papers published between Lake Superior and the Rocky Mountains are represented in the association, including the Winnipeg dailies, and the editors are in force on the excursion, the importance of creating a favorable impression on the visitors will be recognized. It is expected that suitable arrangements will be made to facilitate obtaining information from the visitors and that a creditable reception, one that will fully demonstrate the hospitable qualities of the Portage, will be tendered them.

MONDAY'S NEWS

It is expected that the North West assembly will prorogue next Saturday.

Station recruits for the N.W.M.P. will arrive from Regina on Wednesday morning.

Postmaster King returned to the city yesterday feeling much improved in health from his visit to California.

Captain Armstrong of Golden is a candidate for North East Kootenay in the Liberal Conservative interests.

Rev. Nelson Berg, the superintendent of Swedish Baptist church in Alberta, preached at the school house at the Baptist church last evening. His sermon was spiritual and forcible. Mr. Bergen is

the son of a Baptist pastor and martyr of Sweden.

R. A. James brought down three carloads of prime beef cattle from Olds on Saturday, and took them to the coast.

A man named John Walen was arrested on Saturday night on a charge of horse stealing. The case will come up today.

Michael Sullivan, who had been employed as brakeman on the C.P.R. was killed last week while coupling cars at Siamous.

The trial of criminal cases during the forthcoming sittings of the supreme court at Calgary has been fixed for May 15th.

Geo. T. Bragg of Edmonton, accompanied by his son, passed through the city on Saturday night on his way east.

W. C. Ricardo, manager of Lord Aberdeen's fruit farm in the Okanagan, is in the city today on his return from the east.

It is stated on good authority that the C.P.R. roundhouse and work shops at Calgary are to be increased to double their present capacity.

F. W. Hodson, Dominion live stock inspector who has been in southern Alberta with Dr. McEachran for some days, is a guest at the Alberta.

Hon. Mr. Justice Scott will preside at the sittings of the Supreme court to be held at Red Deer tomorrow. There is only one civil case on the docket.

A. A. Bowerman and Walter Bowman, from Ontario, and Oscar Gallup from Quebec, arrived in the city yesterday. They will make their home in this district.

Two cars of settlers, comprising about 100 persons, principally from Ontario and the United States arrived from the east yesterday and went north on a special last evening.

Fred Cooper and Thomas Wallis from Iowa, James Volway, wife, son and daughter from Ontario and Sifola Tugron, wife and son from Quebec, passed through the city yesterday en route to Edmonton.

A. T. Cushing has arrived in Edmonton where he will temporarily assume the management of the Edmonton Paving Mills, purchased recently by his brother Mayor Cushing of this city.

A party of 26 Austro-Ruthenian-Russo-German-Galicians, better known in this district as Galicians, returned on Saturday from the north on their way to Oregon. "Though lost to sight, to memory dear—very dear."

John F. Glanville of the well known city dry goods firm of Glanville & Robertson, has purchased the stock and property belonging to the Trimble estate at Leduc for his brother, who will in future carry on the business formerly owned by Trimble brothers at that point.

An American stock paper says: "The general prosperity of the farming world has much to do with the extraordinary demand which now prevails for fine, purebred cattle. Times are good and people feel disposed to branch out and breed up. The supply of purebred stock in the country is very short, and the coming of good times seems to emphasize the fact."

The members of the Fire Brigade would feel much obliged if all outsiders wishing to view fires would jump on the brigade engines, and wagons when desirable, as a crowd is always a help at a fire and the engines and wagons are scarcely heavy enough work for a team. No invitation should be necessary.

A blaze in a stable adjoining Mr. Hickling's premises, south of the courthouse brought out the Fire Brigade this afternoon. The chemical was well in the lead, closely followed by the hose and ladder companies who were delayed for want of teams. One team was employed on the boulevard. The fire was subdued without difficulty. Loss about \$150.

Owing to illness in his family Joseph Arthur Cote, who was appointed commissioner in connection with the proposed issue of scrip to the North West halfbreeds born between the years 1870 and 1885, has been compelled to offer his resignation. Narcisse Omar Cote, of the department of interior, has been appointed one of the commissioners in J. A. Cote's place and will be paid in addition to his regular salary as an officer of the interior.

RHEUMATIC PAINS

Why Do You Suffer When an Application of Griffith's Menthol Liniment Will Take Out All the Pain in a Few Minutes? It Penetrates Muscle, Membrane and Tissue to the Very Bone. Here is the Proof.

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20 only Ladies' Pink Wrappers
Sizes 32 to 42 all good patterns in
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25 only Ladies' Fast Black Umbrellas,
Extra Special.

Worth \$1.25 for 75c

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shapes in black and white,

Regular Price

65c for 50c

10 only heavy White Bedspreads,
Very special, large size. Value
worth \$1.50.

Special Price \$1.10

3 dozen pairs of Ladies' Black Cotton
Hose—Hermesdori Dye

2 Pairs for 25c

5 dozen Ladies' Fine Black Cashmere
Hose.

Worth 50c for 35c

3 dozen Ladies' Fine Cashmere
Blouses, very pretty designs, well
cut.

Worth 75c for 50c

24 Ladies' Metallic Stripe Blouses
dark colors, very suitable for morning
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A Special Snap
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5 dozen of Fine Quality of Ladies'
Kid Gloves in Shades of Tan

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90 yards of Tapestry Carpets Splendid
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STOCKMEN AT MILES CITY

Montana Cattle Growers have a Successful Meeting — Range Prospects Unusually Good.

Miles City, April 18.—The fifteenth annual convention of the Montana Stock Growers Association was held yesterday in Legation hall. The attendance was very large and the session was very successful. The association was organized in 1891 and has since that time been the leading organization of stockmen in Montana. The convention was held in Miles City, which is the headquarters of the association. The session was held in Legation hall, which is a large and comfortable building. The attendance was very large and the session was very successful. The association was organized in 1891 and has since that time been the leading organization of stockmen in Montana. The convention was held in Miles City, which is the headquarters of the association. The session was held in Legation hall, which is a large and comfortable building. The attendance was very large and the session was very successful.

The annual report of Secretary-Treasurer W. G. Prentiss was as follows: Mr. President and Gentlemen of the convention: The fifteenth annual convention of this association, marks the completion of 15 years of organized work among the stockmen of Montana and I desire to submit my regular annual report, containing a synopsis of its affairs for the year just ended. A year ago our total paid up membership was 254, and we have enrolled quite a number of new members since that date, there have been some losses from death and other wise, so that our net gain in membership is only 21—making a total of 253 members now. We have a few new names to present to the membership committee at this meeting and we hope that many more stockmen will appreciate that it is to their interest to join with us in organized work, and present their applications for membership. We should have a membership treble what it now is, but so long as the work is conducted so well and protection secured everywhere, as at present, many stockmen are indifferent to membership. I am in the present membership, comprising many prominent stock owners from each county in the state, is representative of the live stock interests, and the fact remains that it is to the interest of every honest stockman in Montana to belong to this organization, for in union there is strength. The objective work of the organization, aside from the mutual benefit of organization and association, is the suppression of rustling, and the prosecution of thieves, and as the smaller owners particularly are especially benefited by this work they should all become members and identify themselves with association work. At the present time more than 75 per cent of our membership is composed of what are termed "small owners."

The work of the past year has been very gratifying, and I do not know that I can do better than to quote from the annual report of the board of stock commissioners on this subject, as its statistics are complete and cover the subject fully. "The reports of the inspectors' work for the year makes a very creditable showing, with 60 arrests for violation of the stock laws. Of this number 16 convictions were had, while 11 cases are still pending and three warrants are still out. One party was extradited by the Canadian authorities and convicted in Canadian courts, while two were taken to other states on requisitions, one being convicted, while two jumped their bonds and have not been recaptured. Aside from the enforcement of the stock laws, nearly all of our inspectors are deputized as sheriffs and render considerable aid in the enforcement of the general criminal laws. We have a very efficient force of inestimable value to the live stock interests. Among the duties of inspectors in the examination of hides of cattle killed on the range of the state and the reports for 1895 show a total of 782 hides so inspected and reported.

"During the past season the inspector at the markets reported a total of 261,450 head of cattle shipped out of Montana, including home consumption and such as were shipped to the feeding districts in the corn states. Of this number there were 10,755 strays recovered by the inspectors, proceeds of \$1,367 head being paid direct to the owners, while the remaining 2,385 head were paid to owners through the association. The total number of stock cattle brought into the state during the year was less than usual, being 50,000 head, of which 1,844 head were pure-blood cattle for breeding purposes. The number of horses shipped from Montana during 1895 as shown by the inspectors' report was 35,000 head. The new law requires the inspection of all horses exported, and while there was some disposition at the commencement to evade this law a few examples had the desired effect, and there since has been a general compliance with the law."

The board goes on to say: "The Montana Stock Growers' association has been a strong support to this board in all of its work, both morally and financially. Its contributions to the board aggregating \$9,260.40, which has materially assisted in the broadening of our work. The funds contributed by the association are held in trust by the board and expended in accordance with the wishes of its executive committee, but under the direction and supervision of the board. The association is a most beneficial organization to the stock interests of Montana and every stockman, whether great or small, should be on its membership roll."

The board also reports the bounty law to be working satisfactorily. We feel, therefore, that the association is to be congratulated on its prosperous condition. The criticism and complaint of the rustling element and its sympathizers indicate that they are being crowded into pretty close quarters and with our present laws and hearty co-operation of all reputable stockmen, rustling will soon become a thing of the past. Respectfully submitted.

W. G. PRENTISS,
Secretary-Treasurer.

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Spent Hundreds of Dollars to Obtain Free From Asthma—Was Permanently Cured by Clarke's Kola Compound.

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\$1,350 IN PURSES \$1,350

FIRST DAY

Wednesday, June the 13th

- 1.—Three Minute Trot or Pace, mile heats 3 in 6..... \$150
- 2.—Quarter Mile Heats, open heats 2 in 3..... 100
- 3.—Three-eighths Mile Dash, Ponies 142 and under..... 100
- 4.—Half Mile Heats, 2 in 3, all ages..... 150
- 5.—2:30 Trot or Pace..... 150

SECOND DAY

Thursday, June the 14th

- 1.—Two Year Old Stake, Trot or Pace..... (Added) \$100
- 2.—Five-Eighths Mile Dash, all ages, Weight for Age..... 100
- 3.—Free For All Trot or Pace, Heats 3 in 5..... 200
- 4.—Mile Dash, Weight for Age..... 150
- 5.—Cowboy Race, 600 yards, 3 turns, 175 lbs up..... (Value) 60
- 6.—Hurdle Race, 1 mile, over four hurdles, Ponies 142 150 lb, horses 160 lb..... 100

For further particulars see big bills

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Eight hundred acres on Snake Creek, near Davisburg, good house and stables for \$2,600—half down and balance at five per cent.
Thirty acres on the Bow River, six miles from Calgary, with large house, heated by furnace, stables, etc., the property of H. D. Critchley, Esq., for \$150.
Six hundred and sixty-five acres at Cochrane, about 1000 acres of cleared land, with house, stables, sheds, irrigation ditch and fencing for \$2,100.

One hundred and sixty acres near Okotoks, seven roomed house, stables, corrals and sheds. Good farm land and good cattle range, for \$1,000.
Three hundred and twenty acres, seven miles north of Calgary, at \$1.50 per acre, improved.
One hundred and sixty acres on Nose Creek, three miles north of Calgary, suitable for dairy purposes at \$4.00 per acre.
Three hundred, and twenty acres at Millerville, fenced with good house and stables. Fifty acres irrigated creek, good well. Excellent cattle range and good hay land for \$2,700.
Four hundred and eighty acres on Jumping Pound, with lease of another 400 acres. Seven roomed house, stables, sheds, etc. Good hay lands and good range. Price \$2,000.
Three hundred and twenty acres on Pine Creek, fenced, house, stables, etc. Thirty-one acres broken at \$1.30.
Twelve hundred and sixty acres near the mouth of High River, two miles from the city, good hay land, in thorough repair. Good hay lands on a range to the south. Price \$2,000.
One hundred and sixty acres at Springbank, with house, stables, sheds, etc., well and creek. Price \$500.

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Improved ranches may be bought for from \$400 to \$2,000 within easy distance of the City, and with excellent water, grazing and shelter. For particulars of free homesteads apply to the Dominion Land Agent, Calgary, Alberta.

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Persons in the district having improved lands for sale are requested to leave information with the undersigned, who will charge no commission to seller or buyer.

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Secretary Board of Trade

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400 Acres—Beautifully situated, with half mile frontage on the Bow River; plenty of permanent timber; fenced; 8 miles east of Calgary.

100 Acres—On Snake Creek, 18 miles from Calgary; with dwelling house, for \$250 per acre.

240 Acres—Vacant land; six miles from Calgary; \$250 per acre.

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JOHN B. SNIDER, of Okotoks, will be pleased to give estimates for any and every kind of well sinking. Correspondence addressed to "them" at Okotoks in respect to Windmill Pumps and proposed wells will re-

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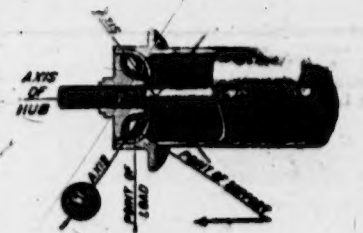
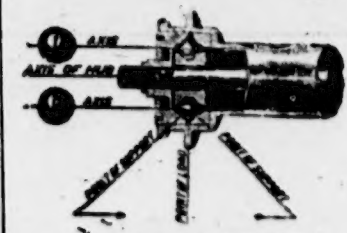
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WETASKIWIN

We are having very uncertain and unpleasant weather, rain and high winds prevailing, consequently all farming operations were brought to a standstill and the trails have become very bad indeed. This looks like a repetition of last year's weather, if so, the old timers will probably tell us that we are in for seven years of it.

W. L. Bernard, advocate, Calgary, paid us a visit during the week, he left for Hobema where he proposed to pay a visit to his daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Moore.

John West is making quite an improvement in his store. He has made a side entrance on Pearce avenue and has removed all his groceries and hardware to that end, leaving all the rest of his store for dry goods.

W. H. Black and family have arrived from Minnesota with a car load of goods valued at \$900.

At last the bridge over the Pipestone on the trail to Bitter Lake and Duhamel has come "within the range of practical politics". It is to be abandoned and a new one erected at once. In fact parties are at work on it.

The present police barracks has been sold to Thos. Willows, who is moving it away. The new barracks are in the premises next to the store of E. C. Compton. It is a more commodious building than the old one.

If this weather continues it is hard to say when building operations will commence in the village. There is plenty to be done in that direction but parties hesitate to commence until the weather is more settled.

Mrs. Della Anderson is thoroughly remodelling the premises she bought from Mrs. Campbell. When finished they will be a great advantage to her

hotel as well as removing an eyesore to the appearance of the street.

The shipment of cattle has commenced in earnest. Wm. Macdonnell has already forwarded some, so have Robert Ramsay and C. F. Duggan. Mr. Macdonnell purposed to ship as fast as he can get the cattle in. It will take some time as he has a very large number on hand.

Our local member, A. B. Rosenroth, wants the ordinance printed in German, Swedish and Norwegian. It is wonderful how generous we are to foreigners. Surely when people come to settle in a country the least they might do is to follow the example of Mr. Rosenroth himself and learn the language of their future home.

C. O. Swanson, immigration agent, with his wife and family has just arrived here. He has determined to locate amongst us. He came in a special train with some 75 Swedish families from the United States. Sixty of the families went further north and 15 stopped here.

BANFF

Ten guests arrived for the Sanatorium one morning this week.

R. Peacock and J. Simpson are bringing their drive of logs down the river.

Mrs. Adie Galletly, who has been seriously ill for some time, is convalescing.

The buffalo, under the care of W. Ellis, have come through the winter in splendid condition.

Notices have been posted around the buffalo enclosure prohibiting dogs from entering therein on pain of instant death.

Wm. Mather is getting his boats in condition and purposes launching the Mountain Bell, which will be

fitted with a new electric vapor-engine.

Although the season has not properly opened yet, the hotels are commencing to boom, and a goodly number of guests are arriving and departing daily. Everything promises that the coming season will be one of the most successful that Banff has ever had.—National Park Gazette.

Mrs. L. C. Fulmer and family are moving to Red Deer. The Presbyterian church will lose a good worker and the English church choir several efficient members.

The local carpenters, professional and otherwise, are busy, additions are being made to the residences of Mrs. Lindsay, Messrs Cobb and Garrett, and several others are undergoing repairs.

R. E. Campbell was the winner of the recent gold locket handicap billiard tournament which was pulled off by John Clarke, who, by the way, has the best appointed billiard room in the Territories.

QUEEN'S BIRTHDAY

The Queen's Birthday Celebration committee is busy with most elaborate preparations for the 24th. The programme will include several events which will be distinct novelties.

For the grand parade which will start from the Fire Hall at 9:30 a.m. sharp the following prizes will be given:

For the best decorated building in the city a prize of \$15.00.

The best representation of trades float, \$5.00.

The best mercantile float, \$5.00.

Most comical float, \$5.00.

Handsome float, \$5.00.

Best decorated team in parade, \$5.00.

Best decorated Indian on horseback, \$5.00.

The committee intend to make the parade a grand success and therefore

ask the merchants and citizens generally to assist by turning out as many floats in the parade as possible.

Already over 20 floats are being planned. The committee will have the programme of athletic sports, tournaments and bicycle races out in a few days.

Handsome bills announcing the celebration have already been distributed far and wide.

Four brass bands will be present and possibly five.

It is understood that the Sons of England will have three handsome patriotic floats in the parade, representing respectively the Army, the Navy and the Colonials.

DOMINION ELEVATOR BURNED

Virdee, April 30.—The Dominion Elevator company's elevator containing 15,000 bushels of wheat was destroyed by fire Saturday night. The origin of the fire is unknown.

SEEDING IS COMPLETED

Winnipeg, April 28.—Travelers from all parts of the province report that the wheat fields are now green on all sides and farmers have completed their seeding operations and are now engaged in breaking up new land. This is the earliest and most satisfactory season in the history of Manitoba.

CANADIAN CASUALTIES

Ottawa, May 1.—Colonel Otter cables the major general commanding that Private E. S. Purcell, 68th battalion, died from the enteric fever on the 22nd. There was an action at the Akla mountain on the 23rd instant. Private K. Dufosse, of the Royal Canadian artillery, was killed, and Lieutenant Colonel Otter and Private R. Burns, of the governor general's foot guards, were wounded. Another wounded soldier cannot be identified. Otter reports that the wounded were only slightly hurt and that his command did well in the action referred to. The death of Purcell and the

wounding of Colonel Otter have already been given in the press despatches.

FOUND DEAD IN WINNIPEG

Winnipeg, May 1.—An inquest was held last night on the body of Cecil Flexon found dead under his father's doorstep. The evidence went to show that the boy had committed suicide, but the inquest was postponed until an analysis of the stomach has been made by Dr. Hutton. Deceased was 17 years old, and the son of Charles Flexon, druggist, of this city.

WIRE SPARKS

Senator Mills' health has improved. Jas. Craig, Kennewick, has been appointed to a judgeship in the Yukon. Deputy Sheriff Hoffman, Woodstock, was killed by a desperado.

The village of Mion, near Brockville, Ont., was almost wiped out by fire.

The Dominion company's elevator and 15,000 bushels of wheat were destroyed by fire at Virdee on Saturday. M. Heaney, Lindsay, Ont., met with probably a fatal accident in a mill on Saturday.

Texas floods are widening and the damage to property will reach millions of dollars.

N. P. Hathway reports wheat seeding indicates that the work is almost completed.

Nine were killed and nine injured by the collapse of a temporary bridge at the Paris exposition.

Two supposed cases and one suspect were taken to the small pox quarantine at Winnipeg, making 29 in all.

The C. P. R. will protest in the courts and take action to recover money paid for timber seized on the C. N. P. line by the government.

Mr. Maxwell, M. P., says Joe Martin will carry British Columbia.

Her Majesty the Queen has conferred a baronetcy on the Lord Mayor of Dublin and the title of Lord Mayor on the mayors of Cork and Londonderry. Her Majesty also gave £10,000 to be distributed among the poor in the Dublin hospitals, and expressed a hope to be able to return

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